(c) whether Government are aware of the fact that people belonging to a particular geographical administrative area are demanding to set up an examination centre of UPSC in Almora; and

(d) if so, by when the said examination centre would be set up in Almora?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) There is one examination centre of the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) in the state of Uttaranchal at Dehradun, for certain examinations conducted by the UPSC.

(c) and (e) No proposal to open an examination centre at Almora is under consideration of the Government.

Remarriage by employees after availing reservation benefits

3201. SHRI SHARAD ANANTRAO JOSHI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of incidence of cases since 2001 in which employees having obtained jobs or promotion taking benefit of caste/tribe based reservations have divorced or otherwise abandoned their backward caste spouses in order to marry the second time, girls from upper castes; and

(b) the number of cases and the proportion of cases of officials recruited or promoted on the basis of caste/tribe who were involved in cases of corruption or misbehaviour?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) Such information is not collected.

(b) Cases of corruption/misbehaviour are not categorised on the basis of caste/community of the employee.

Shortage of manpower in CBI

3202 SHRI THENNALA G. BALAKRISHNA PILLAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state: